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For :	SYSTEM COMPRISING)
	ALTERNATIVE PROCESSING)
	SECTIONS FOR THE FURTHER))
	PROCESSING OF PRODUCTS,)
	LONGITUDINAL FOLDING)
	DEVICE AND METHOD FOR)
	THE SYNCHRONOUS)
	OPERATION OF A)
	FOLDING DEVICE)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the accompanying verified English language translation of the German language text of PCT/EP2005/051458, filed March 31, 2005; published as WO 2005/095245 A1 on October 13, 2005, and claiming priority to DE 10 2004 015 963.7 filed April 1, 2004, the verified translation forming the entire specification and claims of the subject U.S. patent application, as filed, prior to the calculation of the filing fee, and prior to an examination of the application on the merits, as follows.